

MURDEROUS SHOTS FROM AMBUSH.

Attacks on Non-Union Men, Women and Children at Providence.

OFFICERS FIRED ON OUT OF DARKNESS.

Attempt to Rescue Would-Be Assassin From Sheriff and His Escort.

TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD

Offered for Capture and Conviction of Man Who Fired Into Non-Union Miners' House.

Non-union workmen, with women and children, en route to Providence to work for the Providence Coal Company, were fired on from ambush within two miles of that town last Thursday afternoon. Nobody was hurt. They afterwards chased one of the men, Gene Couch, and captured him. Another dropped his Winchester as he fled. Couch had a fine 38-calibre Colt's revolver with three unexpended cartridges in it.

The attacking party was three young negroes and it is supposed others were implicated in the affair. This is the second ambuscade in which non-union men have been attacked near that place. Couch was captured by W. J. Nisbet, manager of the Providence Coal Company. The two others are known as Curtis Raby and Lonnie Johnson and the officers think they will capture them also.

The three men have not worked recently for the coal company, but were formerly employed there. The shooting was begun from an old graveyard which is covered with a thicket of cedars and underbrush. The workmen and their families left Madisonville shortly after noon in two wagons.

Mr. Nisbet, with John Orr, one of his company, Deputy Sheriff Aaron Pike, C. C. Woodson and John Leitchfield went out from Providence to meet the party. The officers were almost in sight of the wagons when the shooting began. They, with Mr. Nisbet came across the field and gave chase, returning the fire. A number of shots were exchanged.

SECOND AMBUSCADE.

Officers Fired on in Attempt to Rescue the Prisoner—Attack Made on Mines.

Following the arrest in the afternoon an exciting engagement took place just out of Providence about 9 o'clock that night, in which many shots were exchanged. It was occasioned by an attempt to rescue from Deputy Sheriff Pike and escort, the negro Eugene Couch, who was captured after firing from ambush upon two wagon loads of non-union men and their wives and children, who were en route to the works of the Providence Coal Company. After Couch was put in jail under guard it was feared that an attempt would be made by the union miners to take him from the jail and the officers concluded to remove him to Dixon, for safety.

The city marshal and his brother took Couch in a survey and an escort was formed by Deputy Sheriff Pike, consisting

of W. J. Nisbet, of the coal company, who captured Couch; Virgil Givins, assistant cashier of the Providence bank; two men named Wallace, and several others. Some were on horseback and some in vehicles.

Just out of Providence, two-thirds the way up a long hill through "Negrotown," a number of men suddenly opened fire on the party from an old church and elsewhere on the hillside.

The horses stamped and several ran away. The vehicles containing the prisoners were hurried along, while the escort returned the fire, and Couch was landed safely in jail at Dixon.

Percy Berry, of the coal company, says they attacked the Providence mine about an hour later, thinking he supposed, that the officers and guards were all away. But there was a force on hand, and the attacking party was repulsed after a sharp exchange of shots. One of the escort was marked on the forehead by a grazing bullet in the engagement on the hillside and two or three had bullet holes through their clothes. Bullet holes were found in the wagon and two horses were injured. It is not known whether any of the attacking party was wounded.

Grady Gaines, colored, was arrested Thursday night, charged as accessory in the ambuscade of non-union men in the afternoon.

TRIED TO MURDER NON-UNION MINER.

A Shot Fired Into Abe Parker's Home at Morton Gap, Ky.

An attempt to take the life of a non-union miner was made at Morton's Gap about 1:30 o'clock Saturday morning after the miners had returned from their night shift.

Some one slipped up to his front gate and fired a shot into the house, which narrowly missed Abe Parker, the miner, who sat before his fire before retiring. The shot was from a large caliber revolver. Parker is employed by the St. Bernard Coal Company, and that company has offered \$200 reward for the arrest and conviction of the party who did the shooting.

It is believed that the deed was done by some member of the Miners' Union, which has not been able to unionize the miners of Hopkins County, either by persuasion or threats, though the effort has been sustained since early last November.

The production of the mines of Hopkins County during the last six months has been greater than during the same period at any time in the county's history.

The following reward offer has been posted:

Will pay Two Hundred Dollars for the arrest and conviction of the party who fired a shot into the house of Abe Parker, narrowly missing him, an employee of this company at Morton's Gap, Ky., about 1:30 a. m. Saturday, April 27th, 1901.

St. Bernard Coal Co.
(Incorporated)
Earlington, Ky.

'Encampment for Owensboro.

Owensboro, Ky., April 28.—It is claimed by those in a position to know that Owensboro will be selected as the place for the next encampment of the State militia in July and August.

VAGARIES OF UNIONISM.

Interstate Commerce Would be Blocked and Law Put to Contempt.

PUTTING DYNAMITE UNDER FABRIC OF GOVERNMENT.

One of the peculiarities of the labor world was demonstrated recently in regard to the building of the mansion of Dr. J. J. Lawrence, of St. Louis, in New York.

If reports are true, the following are facts:

A St. Louis contractor is to build the home of Dr. Lawrence. Several St. Louis concerns secured sub-contracts, especially for interior finish. When the papers were about ready to be signed, notice came that the unions in New York refused to allow St. Louis concerns to bid on the work or to carry out the contract. This action of the unions in New York prevented the St. Louis concern from getting the contract.

If the time has come when the markets of the world are not open to manufacturing establishments because local labor unions oppose outside labor coming into a city, then there is something serious in the situation. Bearing in mind that the St. Louis men employ union labor, pay union wages and stand union assessments; yet they are denied the privilege of going into another State and following their craft.

If this system is continued, it will soon be that a manufacturing concern in one State cannot seek business in another State, and thus challenge and carry into contempt the laws of the land that nothing must be done to interfere with interstate commerce or interstate trade.

Only a few years ago, the great State of Illinois, with John R. Tanner as its Governor, declared that miners from Alabama could not work in that State. When Robert E. Lee laid down his sword at Appomattox, these United States were cemented into a nation and the old idea of State sovereignty was abandoned, not from principle, but through the abridgment of the sword. Yet Jefferson Davis, John C. Calhoun, Robert E. Lee, nor any leader of the Confederate forces ever held such strict interpretation of State sovereignty of the rights of the States as did John R. Tanner in the case of the Alabama miners working in the State of Illinois, or as the New York mechanics declining to allow the St. Louis mechanics to work in that State. This is carrying State sovereignty to a degree where danger enters into the proposition. It is destroying the fundamental principles of a nation. It is putting dynamite under the fabric of our government, and there is danger in the air, danger not alone to capital, not alone to labor, but danger to the very system and practice of organized labor.—Interstate Manufacturer.

Gov. Beckham Grants Pardon to Merchants.

Frankfort, Ky., April 27.—Governor Beckham today granted pardons to several Henderson parties charged with having violated the antitrust laws of the State.

The indictments were returned last September and the pardons came before trial. The indictments charge that the defendants entered into an "unlawful combination," and the specific offense was the conspiring together to control the price of flour.

MISSOURI CAPITALISTS

Have Purchased Grand Rivers and Will Erect a Factory.

Capitalists of St. Louis have purchased Grand Rivers, a boom town 17 miles west of Princeton, established in 1880 by Multi-Millionaire Lawson, of Boston, but abandoned during a panic, causing many thousand dollars' loss in 1892. The St. Louis capitalists gave \$500,000 for the property, and will begin the erection shortly of a mammoth wire, steel and nail factory, employing thousands of people. The great iron furnaces have lain idle since Lawson abandoned the place.—Hopkinsville Kentuckian

MRS. GIBBONS SHOT.

Accidental Discharge of a Revolver in the Hands of Her Brother-in-Law.

Mrs. Frank Gibbons, of Hecla, was accidentally and dangerously shot Saturday afternoon. Her brother-in-law, Melvin Gibbons, was handling a 41-caliber revolver, which was discharged. The ball entered her face on the bridge of the nose, passing downward and backward below the base of the skull and out at the neck. The doctor thought there was little chance for her recovery but she has been improving that chance and is still alive with probabilities in her favor. Gibbons is a union miner, now idle and living at Hecla.

Mrs. Gibbons is a young woman, has been married but a short time.

To the Friends of the Young Men of Hopkins County.

We, the county committee having in charge the work of the Young Men's Christian Association of Hopkins County, fully realize the great responsibility that rests upon us, and we are doing all in our power to induce and assist the young men of our county to live pure Christian lives, and have employed B. R. Ashby as County Secretary. He is devoting all of his time to the work and we are glad to advise you that he is having splendid success. A large number of the young men of our county are being greatly benefited by this Association. Your County Committee give their time in looking after the work without any charge whatever. The cost of keeping up the good work is Bro. Ashby's salary and expenses, and these must be paid, so we make this appeal to all who are friends of our young men, to help us so that we can meet our expenses promptly. To those who have so kindly contributed we extend our sincere thanks. We are needing money to carry on the good work, and we ask all of the friends of the young men who have in their hearts any financial help, to do so at once. The committee is composed of busy men who can ill afford to spare the time to call on you in person, and you will confer a favor on them if you will say to either of them what amount you will give toward the grand and glorious work for the young men of our county. Any member of the committee whose names are given below, or B. R. Ashby, County Secretary, are authorized to accept your contribution, and our Treasurer, Judge J. G. B. Hall, will furnish receipt for amount given. Dear friends, please respond promptly. We ask it in the name of God and for the benefit of the young men of our county whom we all love.

If you are not posted as to the work the Association is doing in our county, any of the committee or the county Secretary will take pleasure in explaining to you just what is being done. Sincerely yours,

- J. BAILEY, Chairman.
- D. W. GATLIN, Sec., Madisonville.
- J. G. B. HALL, Treas.,
- T. C. O'BRYAN,
- B. R. PLAIN,
- R. M. HALL,
- J. BAILEY, JR.,
- E. B. BOWLAND,
- PAUL MOORE,
- PAUL P. FRIDGE,
- W. L. LAMAR,
- DR. J. S. WALKER,
- W. H. WEIR,
- G. F. BROWN,

DOWN IN THE MINES.

An old farmer living not a great ways from here lately showed himself a shrewd manager. A young man who rather than remain idle went to the aforesaid farmer and volunteered his services, for his board and keeping. The proposition was accepted and the man went to work soon after that. The farmer found the supply of food running low, so a happy thought struck him, and he concluded to kill two birds with one stone, and therefore in order to gratify members of the U. M. W. who were so anxious for membership that it is rumored they took the names off tombstones, that he would furnish them a man, so advised his employee to join, which he did and retired at once became an applicant for radium saving the farmer that much. The one good thing about the affair was that it left the agitators less means to squander in the saloons.

When years pass by and a true history of the acts reported of the U. M. W. organization is found in the records, we imagine that those who are now members will hang heads as they look over the pages of crime and attempted crimes they were parties to during their presence in Hopkins and Webster counties. There they will find recorded an attempt made by them to shoot down in cold blood a faithful watchman. Their efforts if reports are true to dynamite a building and destroy the lives of those inside, shooting at and into a building occupied by innocent people with murderous intent. Next waylaying workmen on their way to work and shooting at them with the intent to kill. Then they are found later trying to rescue by killing the officers in charge, one accused of shooting, with evil intent. All of this occurred if reports are to be relied upon at and near Providence. This comes down to Hopkins County where could have been seen an armed mob of over one hundred persons marching with an unlawful purpose in view, stopped by faithful deputies who read to them the orders of the sheriff forbidding such a crowd congregating and marching in the county. The answer to those peaceable warnings was the contents of several pistols and guns fired at the officers, who in self defense shot one of the men, Webster, for the death of which that mob of U. M. W.'s were alone responsible. Then began an open defiance of all law, innocent women and children were frightened by the unlawful act of carrying openly upon their person large revolvers. Also the law against carrying concealed a deadly weapon was freely violated by these law breakers. Then followed the killing of a harmless young man by one of their number at Nortonville for the reason, it is claimed, that he was opposed to their union and insisted upon remaining at work. Now if these charges and rumors are true, would not the noblest of James brothers and Younger brothers, look upon this record with envy?

The rumor is in circulation that the miners of Central City and other points in Muhlenburg county contemplate making the county an early visit, led by a brass band. To those who do not know them, this would indicate a peaceable mission, but when the brutal history of those U. M. W. marching clubs and their acts such as have taken place in Pennsylvania and Illinois is known, no one can be deluded by the disguise of a brass band, while concealed upon their persons or in their baggage can be found all manner of deadly weapons.

Over in Indiana the miners union have generally succeeded in buying their demands favorably acted upon and what is the result? Take one of their own journals and you will soon glean therefrom the fact that wages have been so raised that the mine operator can not pay the same and then compete with the Kentucky product in the market, and the question arises what does it profit an organization to force high wages and thereby destroy the output and sale of coal. The Kentucky non-union mine operators believe the best and surest plan to pursue is to pay good wages and give their men steady employment and not listen to the dictates of those who would soon lead them to ruin.

No surer sign of the decadence of the influence of an organization can be found than in the fact that shrewd politicians who love to al-

ways be on the popular side are beginning to hedge. It is a fact that a young office seeker was found among those who openly espoused the U. M. W.'s in one of their lodge rooms a few weeks ago, but now since he can begin to see the handwriting on the wall freely denounces the order. People don't have much confidence in the fellow who feels sorry after he has been caught.

It is getting to be the regular thing for the coal train to make two trips daily to move the coal from the Reinecke and Monarch mines. The agitators have played havoc with these companies—increased their business so that an extra daily train has to be run.

Evidently the U. M. W. is running short on ration if the report is true that the Barnsley marchers were held holding the empty bag last Saturday at the weekly distribution of charity. Certainly such an outrage as that can not be tolerated by the order. As James H. Halloway first showed himself in this county and his right to preference should be respected regardless of what becomes of those who reside in Soap Hollow.

That a drowning man who has gone under the third time will grab at a straw was plainly illustrated one day last week when the U. M. W.'s saw the Monarch mine idle for one day, and they were fools enough to think their influence was the cause of it. When it was only one day's stop for repairs to machinery.

The wrong impression seems to prevail among people who are not well acquainted with the condition of affairs as they exist in this county. When referring to the labor trouble here, leading papers and men outside of the locality universally call it a strike, when such is not the truth in the true sense of the word. A strike, as we understand it, is where a body of men voluntarily quit work on account of some real or imagined grievance, but in nine cases out of ten such is not the case here. The U. M. W.'s seemed in this quarter to have lacked the pluck to have come out manfully and instead they had a grievance, but instead the coal companies have exercised their right to discipline men in their employ. They have long ago decided that they don't want union labor of the quality of which the U. M. W. is composed, and therefore called them up and gave them their discharge and pay and informed them to seek employment elsewhere.

The St. Bernard Coal Company, in spite of the efforts of the agitator and his deluded followers, gave their employees the annual dividend, each in proportion to time of service with the company. Such tokens of love and respect is what has endeared the company to their men, and to a large extent, accounts for their loyalty to their employer. When and who did the organization known as the United Mine Workers show such generosity?

For the first time in quite a while the miners of No. 11 mine were given an opportunity to do so fishing, Saturday, the warm weather of the last week or so being the cause of a decrease in orders. A day of rest is highly appreciated by the miners here, coming as it does after years of almost continual labor.

The coal production for the United States during the year 1900 amounted to 274,872,779 tons, with a value at the mines of \$21,792,265; an increase of 22,557,392 tons over the previous year. Of this amount Pennsylvania produced a total of 14,855,082 tons, a little more than one-half the production of the country. Illinois followed with 25,153,929 tons. West Virginia with 21,543,940 and Ohio with 21,704,755.

Ben W. Robinson was called to St. Charles on business the past week and found everything in fine shape—business good and miners willing—the agitators stood around on the outside and howled against the father, husband, and son because they continued to work with a vim and a love for home and family.

The Sebree Coal Company and its multitude of friends will be better prepared next time to give the army of invasion a warm reception and the fellow who desires to be followed to follow the first gang of invaders will probably do a better

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MADISONVILLE, KY.

DOWN IN THE MINES.

business next time. The operators there want peace but will meet force with force.

An order that will encourage idleness and dishonesty is one that should be shunned by the mining generation. Better work at half the money than to become the associate of those who tear down both the morals and prosperity of a community.

April beat the record in output of coal for Hopkins county compared with any previous April, and the coal was not dug by the U. M. W. either.

Central City union men are in much excitement. Not that this is unusual, however, but work is not very good, assessments as much as ever and Hopkins county running all mines as usual with still 2,000 non-union miners at work. Could these poor Central City dupes see the daily applications for work made in Earlington, and elsewhere in Hopkins county, by men who want work in the mines and can't get it, because every working place is full, they might well, and other officers and organizers who has become of the money and the many promises made by one and another organizer is reported as saying a few days ago

that these said officials had spent over \$7,000 in sending "scabs" back from Providence. Let the dupes send a committee to investigate the railroad books at Providence, Madisonville, and Earlington and learn what a big lie this will prove to be. At present assessment and the "blowing of scabs to hell" seems to be the popular method advanced in Central City for running the so-called "strike" in Hopkins county. Perhaps the certain fate of the poor negro dupes who attempted this in Webster county last week will prove of interest to the excited crowd at Central City. The penitentiary is sure to receive, not only the poor black tools of vicious white leaders in shooting at men who were peacefully going to work, but also certain of the white leaders.

Law and order will be enforced in Webster and Hopkins counties and the wild ravings of foolish men about stopping work by force in these counties is more idle than the wind.

The business end of the U. M. W. is well illustrated by certain checks being returned unpaid. Cash must be scarce—used up probably sending back "scabs" from Providence.

BAD MONTE CARLO.

MANY AMERICANS VISITING THE GARDEN SPOT OF EUROPE.

Besides the Gambling Halls, Favored Monaco Has Many Other Attractions—Casinos, Concerts, Where Prince and Peasant Rub Elbows.

Society, in the narrow sense of the word, is preparing to fill it has not already gone. The steamship companies report heavy bookings, and it seems reasonable to think that this spring and summer will see almost if not quite as many of our compatriots on the other side of the Atlantic as last year, when the great exodus acted as a magnet. Monte Carlo, the greatest gambling resort in the world, has had its full quota of Americans and is looking forward to capturing still more.

The Monte Carlo seasons are the winter and early spring until the first two weeks in May. After that time the hot sun blows across the Mediterranean from the desert of Sahara renders Monte Carlo too warm to be comfortable. But until the warm weather sets in visitors to the famous gambling halls are sure to find there a thorough cosmopolitan crowd. The greatest attraction of course is the play at the richly decorated Casino.

Only two games are played at this most famous of the world's resorts. One is roulette, the famous spinning wheel, success at which depends upon guessing where the little ball will stop, and the other is roulette-quarante (quatre and forty, played with cards).

M. Blane, the old concessionaire of the Casino, used to say, "Rouge (red) legs and noir (black) legs, but blanc (white) always wins." Like all generalities, this has its exceptions, and among the lucky few who have left fascinating Monte Carlo with more money than they had upon arrival are a number of Americans. During the past winter a New York woman, Mrs. Edith Evelyn Smith-Thompson, is said to have won \$250,000 France at one sit-

Monte Carlo is the only place in Europe where people of any rank or quality, provided that they have money, may rub elbows with the great of this earth. Here one may meet kings, princes, grand dukes, side by side with politicians, theatrical folk, professional beauties, jockeys in fact, all classes and grades of society congregate at this lovely corner of the Riviera. It is especially favored by wealthy Americans as a meeting place.

The principality of Monaco depends not alone on the gambling halls of Monte Carlo for its charms. Hundreds there are who visit every year this paradise without playing. The hotels at Monte Carlo are among the most palatial in the world, and their chefs understand thoroughly the art of tickling the palate. Nature has done much for the Riviera, stretching along the coast of the line Mediterranean.

Truly the Riviera is a place where "every prospect pleases and only man is vile," for there is a darker side of life in Monaco. If Monte Carlo attracts the highest classes of Europe and the rest of the world, it is also a magnet for those who attain to riches. Adventurers, sharpers, men with infillible "systems" for breaking the bank, professional beauties from Paris and others become the prey of respectability much thinner in droves during the season. To an observer the scene in the halls is most interesting—here Russian dukes (with money to burn), there a broken professional gambler watching him enviously, there a young American girl with the bloom of her western prairie on her cheeks and opposite her a bedizened member of the Paris demi-monde. Monte Carlo is a world in miniature.

LETTERS FROM MINERS.

The following letters from miners are of interest as showing the conditions of living and the contentment of mind of the thrifty, honest miner of Hopkins county:

D. W. VINSON.

MR. EDITOR:—If you have room in the columns of your paper I would like to give the United Mine Workers a little sketch of an honest man's life with the St. Bernard Coal Company. I have been working for them nineteen years and I have had an experience that is worth something when it comes to this company and Earlington. When I came here nineteen years ago all my property could have been handled by a little bank mule. I began to work at No. 11 mine at \$1.15 per day. I worked eleven days and then went to loading, but in a short time I was taken sick with typhoid fever and found myself in the middle of a bad fix. My wife went to the office of the company to ask if it would advance anything to go upon until I could get able to go to work. She received an order for \$10 and was told to come again when she needed anything. The result was I owed the company \$80 when I was able to go to work. I paid this debt off and was again taken down, this time with rheumatism, and did not do much work for one year, but I was helped when I got well again and then I paid them back what I owed.

I then bought a lot and built a house and had it all paid for except \$100 when my wife was taken sick. I sold the house and lot. After my wife got well I again bought a lot and with help from the company I built me a nice house, which I have paid for and would not sell for \$1,000. I owe this to the kind treatment and steady work given me by this company.

Now, I want to say to the boys that think to join the U. M. W. You will stand in your own light if you join that union. If you will do your part by the company and earn the

"Don't Speak to me."



All manner of extravagant expressions are possible when a woman's nerves are overwrought.

The spasm at the top of the wind pipe or bronchial tubes, "ball rising in the throat," violent beating of the heart, laughing and crying by turns, muscular spasms (throwing the arms about), frightened by the most insignificant occurrences—are all symptoms of a hysterical condition and serious derangement of the female organs.

Any female complaint may produce hysterics, which must be regarded as a symptom only. The cause, however, yields quickly to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which acts at once upon the organ afflicted and the nerve centers, dispelling effectually all those distressing symptoms.

Mrs. Lewis Says: "I Feel Like a New Person, Physically and Mentally."

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I wish to speak a good word for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. For years I had ovarian trouble and for so long that I became very weak, also got very dizzy. I am troubled with a discharge before and after menses, have pains in ovaries so bad sometimes that I can hardly get around, have sore feeling in lower part of bowels, pain in back, bearing-down feeling, a desire to pass urine frequently, with pain. I have had neuralgia, headache, dizziness, and sometimes have hysterics. My blood is not in good condition. Hoping to hear from you, I am, Mrs. EDNA HAYES, 2508 South Ave., Council Bluffs, Iowa, (June 3, 1899).

Writing to Mrs. Pinkham is the quickest and surest way to get the right advice about all female troubles. Her address is Lynn, Mass. She advises women free. Following is an instance:

Mrs. Haven's First Letter to Mrs. Pinkham.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I would like your advice in regard to my troubles. I suffer every month at time of menstruation, and flow so much and for so long that I become very weak, also get very dizzy. I am troubled with a discharge before and after menses, have pains in ovaries so bad sometimes that I can hardly get around, have sore feeling in lower part of bowels, pain in back, bearing-down feeling, a desire to pass urine frequently, with pain. I have had neuralgia, headache, dizziness, and sometimes have hysterics. My blood is not in good condition. Hoping to hear from you, I am, Mrs. EDNA HAYES, 2508 South Ave., Council Bluffs, Iowa, (June 3, 1899).

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Mrs. Haven's Second Letter.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I wish to express my gratitude for what your medicine has done for me. I suffered for many years with ovarian trouble. Every month I flowed very badly. I got so bad that I could hardly do my work. Was obliged to sit or lie down most of the time. I doctored for a long time, but obtained no relief. I began using your medicine—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, Blood Purifier, Sensitive Wash and Liver Pills—and now feel like a new woman."—Mrs. EDNA HAYES, 2508 South Ave., Council Bluffs, Iowa, (Feb. 1, 1900).

Owing to the fact that some skeptical people have from time to time questioned the genuineness of the testimonials appearing in our columns, we have decided to publish the following, which will be paid to any person who will show that the above testimonials are not genuine, or were published before obtaining the written special permission—Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound Co.

\$5000 REWARD

conformable and happy as any man need to be, and I would not trade my place with the St. Bernard Coal Company for any place elsewhere that I know of. In all these thirty years I have never asked a favor of this company that was not granted. The managers of this company have been good to me and I have been proud to do the best work I could for them. ABE OSBORN.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

COUNTY CLERK.

GILLILAND: We are authorized to announce John E. Gilliland of Bailey Precinct, Post Office address St. Charles, a candidate for County Clerk, subject to the action of the voters of Hopkins County at the November election.

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HARRIS: We are authorized to announce J. F. Harris a candidate for Jailer, subject to the action of the voters of Hopkins County at the November election.

PROVIDENCE has been furnishing rather more than its quota of mine worker pyrotechnics. Shooting for breakfast, dinner and supper and a night mare or two thrown in. But what horrible marksmanship. The total casualty list as reported is two horses wounded and they only slightly so. Some of the two legged participants may have been half shot so that straight things were crooked and all things looked double, but nobody full of shot since the Holoman ambush. It is in order to establish in Webster an artillery school. Kentucky's reputation is at stake.

Woman Charged With Brutal Murder.

Hopkinsville, Ky., April 27.—Martha Ferguson, a negro, aged thirty years, was jailed here today, charged with causing the death of Mary White, a ten-year-old colored child, who was hired as a nurse.

The girl ran off and the woman caught her, it is charged, and terribly beat her, dragged the clothes from her body, strangled her during a cold rain over a rocky road a long distance and left her insensible in a mud puddle.

The Doctors Did It.

It has leaked out that Dr. Chatten and Dr. Seull unwittingly played the roll of a pair of transposed Jonah's Saturday. It wasn't a case of inside a big fish, but they each unknowingly and independently planned to get the fish in the other position, and trouble began at once. Dr. Seull was called to attend the woman who was shot at Hecla and, returning, found Dr. Chatten starting to take a disinterested feminine angle. They compared notes. Dr. Chatten pulled from his pocket a fishing reel. Dr. Seull produced its mate. They laughed and then went after the injured ankle.

A few minutes later a squire from Madisonville, loaded with three handsome young women, a preacher and a newspaper man, made a turn before THE BEE office door short enough to produce a little girlish squeam. THE BEE angels trembled and stood closely indoors the rest of the day, going home cautiously at supper time. It was an ideal day for fishing.

Eastwood-Roots.

Sunday evening at about seven o'clock, Miss Nell Roots and Mr. Ernest Eastwood were united in marriage. The marriage was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Head by Rev. J. W. Mitchell, who makes his home there. The wedding was a very quiet affair, only a few very friends being present. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Roots, and an attractive and popular young lady. The groom is an employee of the L. & N. Railroad at this place, a sober and industrious young man. Both have many friends who join THE BEE in congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy voyage through life. Mr. and Mrs. Eastwood will continue to make their home in this city.

The United States treasury now holds almost \$600,000,000 in gold, about half of it owned by the government and the remainder being a redemption fund for gold certificates issued by the treasury. This is the largest sum in gold ever accumulated by the treasury.

CONSPIRACY CHARGED

Dr. McCormick Says He Is Not Guilty of Immoral Conduct.

ASK FOR FURTHER INVESTIGATION.

Hopkinsville, Ky., April 27.—Dr. McCormick's friends say that he is the victim of a conspiracy, and he has refused to resign. It is said that the governor may remove him without any further investigation, but the local board of commissioners has registered a protest against such action.

Several weeks ago affidavits prepared by W. G. Childs, formerly an attendant in the asylum, and Mrs. W. G. Childs, formerly a matron, were laid before the board, charging Dr. McCormick with immoral conduct with one of the attendants in the women's ward. A called meeting of the board was held and a resolution was passed stating that inasmuch as grave charges had been made against Dr. McCormick, which by their nature, reflected upon the institution and the board, a full investigation was desirable.

A communication was sent to Mr. Beckham requesting that such an investigation was ordered, but he totally ignored it. Later Judge Henry Hines, State Inspector, made a visit here and apparently made an independent investigation without consulting the board.

Mr. McCormick said: "I am innocent of the charges made against me, and all I ask is a fair investigation. I discharged Mrs. Childs, who was the matron, and her husband some days ago partly because of their incompetency and partly because of their attacks upon me. I do not know what report Mr. Hines made to the governor, or whether the latter intends to remove me."

What Mr. G. V. Green Says.

Louisville, Ky., April 29.—Prison Commissioner Green is here. He takes exception to the statement of Dr. McCormick about himself and writes a tart reply to McCormick, saying he had heard of the trouble at the asylum, of charges of profanity, gross immorality and other things being made against McCormick, says he wanted to see the asylum conducted decently and properly and that he gave the facts he had to Gov. Beckham. He concludes by saying that the cry of conspiracy is the last resort in a hopeless case.

Miss Florence Newman, who has been a great sufferer from muscular rheumatism, says Chamberlain's Pain Balm is the only remedy that affords her relief. Miss Newman is a much respected resident of the village of Gray, N. Y., and makes this statement for the benefit of others similarly afflicted. This liniment is for sale by St. Bernard Drugstore, Earlington; Ben T. Robinson, Mortons Gap; Geo. King, St. Charles.

Funeral Service.

The funeral of Edward Cowby, who died several months ago at Barnsley, will be presided in the M. E. Church, May 8th, by Rev. C. C. Hall, former pastor. Services will begin at 7:30 p. m. All are invited to attend.

Consumption

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TROUBLE IN "SOCIETY."

Cherished Leaders' Crusade Against Gambling in High Life.

"New York Society" has a new sensation. For the first time in the history of the eastern metropolis has spent very much of its leisure time in playing a card game known as "bridge whist" in a fashionable hotel. For high stakes, and have some of the most prominent preachers of New York are banded together in an attempt to suppress that and other forms of gambling among the rich.

The credit for starting the crusade against society gambling belongs to the Rev. Dr. William R. Huntington, rector of Grace church, one of the leading Episcopal churches of New York. Dr. Huntington who is one of the most conservative of clergymen.



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THE REV. WILLIAM R. HUNTINGTON.

delivered recently an address before the New England society of the city of New York. In it he declared that the general crusade against gambling which has been carried on in New York for some time would not avail "if behind doors so many defective ventures to pass there is an unconquerable passion for gambling."

Dr. Huntington has cited instances from his own knowledge of the ruin of young men by the high play indulged in at the homes of society people. Says Dr. Huntington: "I heard of a young man who lost \$1,000 in one evening playing bridge whist, and his hostess forced him to give his note for it. His salary is \$2,000 a year."

The Rev. Dr. W. S. Rainford, one of the best known preachers of America, cites the case of a young girl who won \$500 at cards on Sunday and she should have been at church. It is to prevent the recurrence of such things that these and other clergymen of New York are striving.

The Rev. Dr. William Reed Huntington is well known to New Yorkers, for he has been rector of Grace church, one of the most beautiful Episcopal churches of the city, for about 18 years. He was born in Lowell, Mass., 42 years ago and is a Harvard graduate. For two years after his graduation he was instructor in chemistry at his alma mater and then studied for the ministry. His first two churches were in Boston and Worcester, Mass., and then he was called to succeed Bishop Butler as rector of Grace church. He is a great preacher and a good writer on theological subjects.

SALVINI'S PROTEGEE.

Miss St. Cyr, a Literary Stage Favorite.

An interesting foreign visitor to our shores is Miss St. Cyr, a young French actress. Miss St. Cyr has been with us five years and has won for her talent supported some of our leading ne-



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tresses, among them Made Adams and Minnie Madden Fiske. She has also been in the company of Miss Olga Newland.

Miss St. Cyr is a member of a French literary family and is a very ambitious and ardent worker and devoted to stage. She is well educated and speaks four languages fluently. She is a protegee of Tommaso Salvini, the eminent Italian tragedian, who is going to select a play for her appearance next season at the head her own company.

In Disguise.

She—So you went to Mrs. Hopper's masquerade as yourself?

He—Not exactly. I pretended to have a good time, and I don't believe any one practiced a more complete deception.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

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At the Door of the Heart.

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Honest Reform.

Society need not fear anything which is proposed with the intention to do good. Honest men may propose injurious things, but no harm will be done by any proposition to change the social order if it is honestly proposed and honestly dealt with.—Christian Register.

Retarding the Spread of the Gospel.

Every tract that he who so seeks to retard the conquest of the world for Christ affixes and may be reckoned among the adversaries who seek to defeat the cause of Christ. Every tract that he who so seeks to retard the conquest of the world for Christ affixes and may be reckoned among the adversaries who seek to defeat the cause of Christ. Every tract that he who so seeks to retard the conquest of the world for Christ affixes and may be reckoned among the adversaries who seek to defeat the cause of Christ.

Larger, Fairer Worlds.

Blessed are they to whom science and art and religion and all natural beauty and all soul and joyous experience are gates through which the soul freely passes into larger and fairer worlds than earth, where the symbol is changed for real being and where each mortal form is made resplendent by its inward, immortal life.—Christian Register.

Sunset.

After a day of triumph,
A battle of wind and rain,
Just when the gloom was thickest,
The sun alone forth again.

Let with a Man of glory.

The track of the morning wave,
The path of the evening breeze,
On the desolate clung-up graves;
Gave heart of hope to the fisher
Waiting faring home.

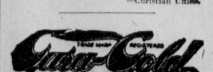
Brighten the bow of the goddite,
Waiting faith should come.

And the words of the Holy Scripture
Were born to say and again
As I thought of the wonderful gladness
Of sunrise after rain.

And thought that ever the Master,
As ever in faith,
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And yet when the gloom is thickest
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Cat Hatched the Eggs.

Bristol, Tenn., April 26.—A pet cat and a hen at the home of Dr. H. T. Berry were favorites, and the cat was frequently seen sleeping near the hen's nest. The hen sat on a nest of eggs, but dropped and died before the eggs had hatched. The cat, observing the deserted appearance of the nest, coiled herself upon the eggs and remained in that position except when in search of food and water, until the eggshells were shattered and sixteen little chickens were making baby music to her!

Good Advice.

The most miserable beings in the world are those suffering from Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint. More than seventy-five per cent. of the people in the United States are afflicted with these two diseases and their effects; such as Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Habitual Constipation, Palpitation of the Heart, Heart-burn, Water-brash, Gnawing and Burning Pains at the Pit of the stomach, Yellow Skin, Coated Tongue and Disagreeable Taste in the Mouth, Coming up of Food after Eating, Low Spirits, etc. Go to your Druggist and get a bottle of August Flower for 25 cents. Two doses will relieve you. Try it. Get Green's Prize Almanac.

Drowned While Seining.

Dillard Powell, a well-known young farmer of the Kirkmansville neighborhood, was drowned while seining Saturday. He stepped into a ten foot hole and sank to the bottom. Several of his companions who were near by tried to rescue him, but in vain. The body was not recovered until several hours afterwards.



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Universalist Convention.

The State Convention of Universalists will be held in this city May 17, 18, 19. A large attendance is expected. Rev. S. H. Shinn, the general missionary, will be present, and all the churches in the State are expected to send delegates. An excellent program has been arranged.—Hopkinsville New Era.

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15. "So when they had said Jesus said to Simon Peter, Simon, son of Jonas, Lovest thou Me more than these?" This was in connection with the answering to the disciples at the sea of Galilee after Simon Peter and others had been fishing all night but caught nothing. The lesson of this night is that many of us need to learn more fully, that of implicit reliance upon Him under all circumstances. They had not seen Him for some time and did not know when they would see Him again and were evidently hungry and out of funds, and were of relying upon Him, though invisible, who had called them away from their nets, they do what, except rely upon Him, and natural thing, they seek something to eat in the way. Their efforts, however, are in vain, when they break their fast it is not upon fish which they had caught, but upon food supernaturally provided for them, and so Jesus, the incarnate verse 9 and 1 Kings xix, 5, 9. As to fish, they caught none until at His command they began to catch them, and so again.

16. "He saith to him again the second time, Simon, son of Jonas, Lovest thou Me?" I quote from him in saying that the word translated "lovest" in this verse is different from that in verses 15 and 17 and means to "rule" or "reign" and more especially regards those of us who are grown up and who need the guidance and some measure, it may be, of restraint or correction, that may be directed against them in their growing strength, of which kind of teaching we have an example in Peter. Peter's first epistle, which not only presents a clear and practical view of Christian doctrine, especially in the matter of guidance and some measure, it may be, of restraint or correction, that may be directed against them in their growing strength, of which kind of teaching we have an example in Peter.

17. "He saith unto him the third time, Simon, son of Jonas, Lovest thou Me?" This third time repeated question in connection with Peter's threefold denial and ask your heart if it can say honestly, "Lord Thou knowest that I love Thee?" And, if so, are you busy feeding lambs and sheep? The Spirit tells us by John that we are not to love in word merely, but in deed and in truth (1 John 3: 18). Peter tells us of a crown of life as a special reward for those who willingly feed the flock (1 Pet. v, 14). There is also a crown for those who patiently endure and another for those who deny instead of pleasing self, yet another for those who win souls, and also one for all who love His appearing (Gal. 1: 12; Rev. 1: 10; 1 Cor. 15: 24-27; 1 Thess. 1: 10; 1 Tim. iv, 8). These we may receive from Him to cast in His feet (Rev. 1: 10). May His love so constrain us that, without much thought of the rewards, we shall be consumed with desire to please Him in all things (1 Cor. v, 14, 15).

18-19. "This saith He, signifying by what death he should glorify God. And when He had said this He saith unto him, Follow Me. He had laid him of his lifework, feeding lambs and sheep, and now He tells him of a martyr's death that shall be his privilege also. If we have truly received the Lord Jesus and are thus saved by His blood, we are not to be gloried in in all things (1 Pet. iv, 11; Phil. 1: 29). And that He shall be crucified for us, bodies whether by life or by death. Our good works are all prepared for us to walk in, and the thing and manner of our departure out of this world are also arranged for us (Eph. 1: 10), so that He has not allowed means to be anxious about anything. In 11 Pet. i, 14, the apostle seems to refer to this word from the Lord when he says, "Knowing that shortly I must put off my tabernacle, even as our Lord Jesus Christ shewed me." It is a rare thing to know the thing and manner of one's death, but it is a proper thing to be ever ready for the next step, whether it be out of this body or straight in to the body, to meet the Lord. To deny self and follow Christ covers the whole Christian life (Matt. xix, 21), and to that end we must be filled with His Spirit. There should be no fear in our hearts, for He only asks us to follow Him, never to go alone or our own way.

20. "Then Peter, turning about, saith to the disciples, When Jesus layeth down his life, we will follow Him, even as he layed on His breast at supper. See the statement, "the disciple whom Jesus loved" again in verse 7 and in chapters xli, xlii, xliii, and notice that he is not called "the disciple who loved Jesus" for our love to Christ is never without mentioning, but we may well rejoice to sing of "the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me, and ever gladly say, 'Unto Him who loveth me and washed me from my sins in His own blood' (Eph. i, 20; Rev. i, 5). This last John himself loved to say.

21. "Peter, seeing him, saith to Jesus, Lord, and what shall this man do?" This is our tendency, to see others, to compare ourselves with them, to wonder what is planned for them, or what the Lord thinks of them, to see the beam which we imagine to be in their eye and to be in judgment on them. It is a splendid thing to see Jesus only and to determine that by the grace of God we will not henceforth judge others any more (Mark 1: 8; Rom. xiv, 13).

22. "Jesus saith unto him, If I will that he tarry till I come, what is that to thee? Follow thou Me!" What a splendid word for every believer all through the journey of life! It reminds one of a Greek word used just three times and translated "arrive," "dilate," "linger," but it is the same word each time and might be translated "He ambitions" (Rom. xv, 20; 11 Cor. ix, 3; 11 Cor. x, 1), to preach the gospel where it was never preached before, to be well pleasing to Him and to quickly obey His own will and His own love, to hear Him say, "What is that to thee?" He rebukes us, He loves us. All things are ours but our selves, and we are wholly His to please Him (1 Cor. xli, 21; v, 19). Run with patience, looking unto Jesus (Heb. xli, 1), to which means such a latent looking that no one else and nothing else is seen. Notice in the next verse the saying, "I will tarry and learn from it that the disciples, unlike many Christians today, did not associate death with the coming of Christ.

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The fine weather of the past week has had a tendency to bring forth many anglers as a result. Mary has been the most attractive resort in Earlington. Several fine catches have been reported, the largest single one being that of Henry McDowell, when he landed a five-pounder. And it was a beauty.

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CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic for the Week Beginning May 5.—Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

Topic.—Decision of character.—Rev. S. H. Doyle.

Decision is one of the most admirable and necessary traits of human character. It is defined as "the quality of being decided, prompt and fixed determination, unwavering firmness." This trait of character is essential to success and happiness in any sphere of life, but it is peculiarly so in the religious realm. Decision of character is absolutely essential to religion. One cannot believe and act in accordance with his beliefs who is not steadfast in his faith and unwaveringly firm in his life. Wavering is inconsistent with religion. It demands steadfastness, firmness and stability. Decision of character requires a fixed purpose and object in life. "Let this cross look right on, and let this eye look straight before thee." That decision and firmness may be exercised in life we must have a fixed point in life. No matter in what way we are steering. A vessel upon the sea could not practice steadfastness unless it had a fixed destination in view. No more can we upon the sea of life display this virtue unless we have a fixed point before us which we can see and reach. When it comes to life, this fixed point should be the will of God as revealed in Jesus Christ. The chief end of our lives should be to glorify God. Steadfastly and without wavering we should bend our lives toward that end. This has been the objective goal of the lives of the world's greatest men, and they have been most successful who have been most unflinching in their pursuit of this end. If they fail and let all the ways be established.

Decision of character demands the power to resist temptation. "Turn not to the right hand nor to the left; remove thy foot from evil." No man ever led a decided, determined life without opposition and without temptation. The strongest temptation is to turn aside, but decision of character is against turning aside as well as against turning back. However steadfast our characters, we will be tempted to waver, to turn aside and to turn back. Success therefore depends upon the power to stand firm and decided upon the fixed point. If we will depend upon Him and not trust in our own strength. Indecision of character is injurious and punishable. It hinders us in our men, and God Himself will punish it. This is illustrated in the church at Antioch. It was not until the church decided for God nor decided against God, and therefore the Lord said, "I will spew thee out of My mouth." Let us believe in God, make the will of God the end of our existence and even amid the temptations of life be firm in faith and steadfast in action.

THE PRAYER MEETING.

Have a biographical meeting, with papers or addresses on the lives of men who have been conspicuous for decision of character.

BIBLE READINGS.

Ex. xxviii, 25-26; Num. 15: 22-23; Joshua xxi, 15; Ruth, 1: 16-17; 1 Kings xviii, 21; Math. vi, 24; Luke xv, 17-20; Acts xxi, 8-14; 1 Cor. xv, 58; Jas. 1: 5-8.

God's Kindness.

When we recall what God has given us in excess of all necessity for the purpose of pleasing us, let us remember that we have taken but the first and lowest step leading up to a vast and glorious subject. If God has done so much for us here on earth, what will He do for us hereafter in heaven? If God is so generous now, what will He be in the world to come? The eye looks forth upon the streams and meadows and trees, and up to the skies, all so full of beauty, and yet these material images are employed to describe that better country which is reserved for the eternal home. That heavenly world is not described in the dull lines of didactic prose. All the pleasant things in the universe are made composite the picture of that ultimate enjoyment. Now it is a landscape—green pastures, still waters, the tree of life with leaf and fruit—every image of contentment and delight. Now rises an imperial city—its gates of pearl, its foundations of precious stones, its streets of gold, and all the nations pouring their glory into it. Now it is our Father's house with many mansions; a festive board, with unnumbered plenty; with songs of joy and garlands of gladness upon the head.—Rev. William Adams in Universalist.

Trust in God.

Trust your Heavenly Father at any cost, and when heart and flesh fail, bid your soul to hope in God and hush it up with the assurance that it will yet praise Him "for the help of His countenance." God is good when He gives, but better when He keeps in order to give an accumulated blessing—hoped up, pressed up, and running over—into the bosom of His child in whom patience has had her perfect work.—F. B. Meyer.

The Beauty of Holiness.

Many who see a glory in holiness, and saint and mountaintop, even in the glory of holiness, in which is created in the likeness and image of God, a glory potentially present in the most degraded, moping always and only the divine touch to cause it to bloom into the "beauty of holiness."—American Friend.

Walking Toward Heaven.

There is nothing which can so assist you to walk toward heaven with good speed as wearing the image of Jesus on your heart to rule all the motions.—Episcopal Recorder.